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 count Summer School; limit July 31.  
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 of 15.  
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 ing of 16.  
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## EXPECT LYNCHING TONIGHT

**Oklahoma Negro Who Assaulted White  
 Woman Captured—Authorities  
 Expect Attack on Jail.**

Special to the Eagle.

Weleeteka, Okla., May 21.—A negro  
 who assaulted Mrs. Cole near Okmul-  
 gee Tuesday, was captured this morn-  
 ing seven miles north of here. There  
 is talk of lynching and the authorities  
 fear the farmers will form a mob and  
 march on the jail tonight.

### KILLED BY STREET CAR.

Special to the Eagle.

Dallas, Texas, May 21.—Henry  
 Kaufman, a deaf mute, aged thirty,  
 was struck and killed today by an  
 Oakland street car.

### CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT.

Special to the Eagle.

Austin, Texas, May 21.—Roy Steph-  
 ens was arrested today on a charge  
 of embezzlement. The charge was  
 preferred by Superintendent Brooks,  
 of the Water and Light Commission.  
 Stephens denies his guilt. He is now  
 employed in the University of Texas.

### COL. THOMAS ROWAN DEAD.

Just as the Eagle went to press  
 this afternoon, the news was received  
 of the death of Col. Thos. Rowan at  
 his home in this city. He will be  
 buried tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock.  
 A more extended notice will be given  
 tomorrow.

### ATTENTION MASONS.

The members of Brazos Union  
 Lodge No. 129 A. F. and A. M. are  
 hereby notified to meet at the lodge  
 room tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 to  
 attend the funeral of Brother Thom-  
 as Rowan at 5 o'clock.

O. E. Saunders, W. M.

### GROVES GIVEN TEN YEARS.

Austin, Texas, May 21.—In the Fif-  
 ty-third District court today the case  
 of the State vs. J. A. Groves, charged  
 with assault to murder, was terminat-  
 ed, the jury returning a verdict that  
 the man was guilty and fixed his pun-  
 ishment at ten years confinement in  
 the penitentiary. Attorney James  
 White gave notice that he would ask  
 for a new trial. Groves is said to  
 have walked into the room of his wife,  
 who was ill, and shot her three times  
 as she lay on the bed, because she  
 would not return to live with him. He  
 made his defense on the ground that  
 at the time that he committed the  
 deed he was insane. Numerous doc-  
 tors examined him, and but one of  
 them testified that in his opinion  
 Groves was not of his right mind, this  
 being Dr. Sterling, who saw Groves  
 immediately after the shooting. At-  
 torney White claims that he has dis-  
 covered that Groves has one near kins-  
 man who is now insane and that an-  
 other has died of epilepsy, and coupled  
 with the other evidence and the ac-  
 tions of the man, he believes him  
 insane, and that he should have a  
 new trial.

Groves took the verdict of the jury  
 very calmly. His wife was also in  
 the court room, and seemed unmoved  
 by the action of the jury. Groves was  
 prosecuted by District Attorney Ham-  
 ilton and Attorneys Doyle and Cum-  
 mings of Fort Worth, while Attorneys  
 George Mendell and James White were  
 appointed attorneys for the defense.

Groves is a barber who formerly  
 lived at Fort Worth and Dallas.—Gal-  
 veston News.

Groves and his wife formerly lived  
 in Bryan and he worked in P. L. Win-  
 ters barber shop. Mrs. Groves was  
 raised in Grimes county. She was  
 here on a visit shortly before the  
 shooting.

### Resolution of Respect.

Inasmuch as God in his merciful  
 providence, has removed from our  
 midst one of our most useful mem-  
 bers in the person of Mrs. J. H. Ma-  
 whinney, therefore be it resolved, that  
 we deeply deplore our loss; that we  
 commend to the emulation of all her  
 noble Christian life and, that we ex-  
 tend to the bereaved husband and  
 daughter our sincere sympathy and  
 condolence.

Be it further resolved, That these  
 resolutions be recorded in the min-  
 utes of our society and that a copy  
 of the form be furnished our local  
 paper for publication.

Mrs. R. O. Allen.  
 Mrs. A. M. Waldrop.  
 Mrs. T. H. Morris, Pres.  
 Committee.

The dangerous planks in the street  
 crossing at Eugene Edge's corner, of  
 which the Eagle spoke some time ago,  
 are still there. It makes a nice little  
 trap to catch a damage suit for the  
 city.

## MUCH BUILDING AT A. AND M.

Two New College Buildings and H.  
 and T. C. Depot Well Under  
 Way.

College Station, Texas, May 21.—  
 There is much building activity about  
 the A. and M. College right now. The  
 contractor has reached the third  
 story on the brick work of the engi-  
 neering building and the work on the  
 Experiment station building is pro-  
 gressing rapidly. The Houston and  
 Texas Central depot is now building.  
 The foundation is in, and work is to  
 be pushed on it at once. It will prob-  
 ably be ready for occupancy about  
 July 4. It will be a commodious af-  
 fair, and Agent Forbes will have room  
 enough in which to transact the heavy  
 business of this station. The new sta-  
 tion will be in commission when the  
 season for 1909-10 opens, and it is  
 hoped by the college authorities that  
 there will be a delivery service in-  
 augurated then by the Wells Fargo  
 Express company. As it is now all the  
 express matter that comes to the col-  
 lege must be sent for by the person  
 to whom it is destined, and this not  
 only causes delay but is inconvenient.  
 All departments of the college receive  
 matter by express and students too  
 are always getting boxes from home.

### A FINE CONTRIBUTION.

The people of Bryan and vicinity  
 have done splendidly by the little or-  
 phans at Dallas. The appeal made  
 for them through the Eagle a few days  
 ago has met with a generous response  
 and a good sum will go to them from  
 Bryan. The various church societies  
 and individual contributions turned in  
 to Mr. Withers amount to about \$125.

### A Very Restful Rest.

Adolf Menzel, the German artist, was  
 at one time engaged on a mural de-  
 coration. He had rigged up a scaffolding  
 in his studio, on which his model was  
 requested to stand. For two long  
 hours the poor posure stood aloft in  
 a most fatiguing posture. Menzel  
 in the meantime worked at his sketch,  
 heedless of the fact that his model was  
 growing tired.

At length the model found it neces-  
 sary to speak. "Herr professor," said  
 he, "how about a recess?"  
 Menzel apologized profusely for his  
 forgetfulness. "Certainly, certainly,  
 my dear sir," said he. "Come down  
 and rest yourself a bit."

The model had clambered from the  
 scaffolding to the ladder, which led  
 down from it to the studio floor.  
 "Stop!" cried the artist, suddenly.  
 "That pose is fine! Don't move a mus-  
 cle!"

And once more the model was forced  
 into strained rigidity, while the enthu-  
 siastic draftsman set about sketching  
 him.

At the end of half an hour Menzel  
 looked up from his work. "There,"  
 said he; "that will do nicely! Get back  
 on the scaffold. We have had our  
 rest. Let us get back to work again."

What the model said is left to the  
 reader's imagination.

### Scotland and Horse Racing.

Scotland has been famous for its  
 horses from the most ancient days.  
 When Agricola defeated the Caledo-  
 nians at the battle of the Grampians,  
 A. D. 84, the Celtic enemy, as Tacitus  
 relates, were exceptionally strong in  
 cavalry and charioteers. Successive  
 kings of Scotland did much to improve  
 its native breed of horses, and in this  
 connection it is not to be forgotten  
 that the first Scottish king of Eng-  
 land, James I., did more to improve  
 the race horses in his island than was  
 ever done before him or has ever been  
 done by any individual since. James  
 I. was the real author of horse racing  
 as it has since been known in England.  
 He it was who first established regu-  
 lar courses, and during his reign there  
 came into being the code of regula-  
 tions that led up to the modern laws of  
 the turf. Nobody denies that horse  
 racing has done much for the breed of  
 British horses. It was a gift from  
 Scotland.—London Answers.

### Sizing Up Bernard Shaw.

Bernard Shaw is thus immortalized  
 by Charles Hawtrey, the well known  
 English comedian: "Once on a time  
 I had a mad desire to produce Shaw's  
 play of 'You Never Can Tell.' I wrote  
 to Shaw and asked his permission. He  
 answered that he would come and  
 read it to me. He did and began by  
 saying that sometimes he thought it  
 was the best play that ever was writ-  
 ten and at others he considered it the  
 greatest trash. Anyhow, he was of  
 opinion that it was a pretty poor play  
 and that if I produced it—well, I must  
 take the consequences. Some time  
 afterward I asked Shaw if I could  
 compress the last act. He declined to  
 allow one line to be altered or cut out.  
 In view of certain contingencies I had  
 at last to tell him that I couldn't pro-  
 duce the play. His answer was:  
 'Thank you so much! You have taken  
 a great load off my mind.' Now, what  
 are you to do with a man like that?"  
 Minneapolis Journal.

### Her Weight of Sin.

"Mother, I've a dreadful thing to con-  
 fess to you. Last night when you told  
 me to lie down in bed I lied down, but  
 after you turned out the gas I ground-  
 ed my teeth at you in the dark!"—Lon-  
 don Punch.

### Most Anything.

Club Doctor (with view to diagnosis):  
 "And now, my man, what do you  
 drink? Patient (cheerfully)—Oh—er—  
 well, doctor, I'll leave that to you."  
 Hylander.

## Dickens' Characters.

Dickens bestowed many of his betti-  
 est names on real flesh and blood  
 personages, says an admirer of the fa-  
 mous novelist. Indeed he and David  
 Copperfield were not far apart, so far  
 as salient features were concerned.  
 Tracy Tupman was the happy counter-  
 part of a man named Winters, who at  
 the present day would be pounded or  
 arrested for what is known in slang as  
 "mashing." Paul Dombey was an in-  
 valid nephew of the author, his right  
 name being Harry Burnett. Dora Cop-  
 perfield was a Miss Beadwell, with  
 whom Dickens was in love at the early  
 age of eighteen. Mrs. Bardell, who  
 gave Pickwick the worst time in his  
 life, was a scheming boarding house  
 wife named Ann Ellis. Tommy Trad-  
 dles was Colonel Froom Talford, for-  
 merly superintendent of Indian affairs  
 in Canada. Miss Mowcher was a Miss  
 Wilkes, Mrs. Skewton a Mrs. Camp-  
 bell; the atomable Squeers was Wil-  
 liam Shaw; the lovely Cheeryble broth-  
 ers were cotton spinners and merchants  
 of Manchester; the fat boy was a true  
 life character, and so was Captain  
 Cuttle, one of the most attractive of all.

### Didn't Impress Him.

Shortly after his rise to the bench  
 Judge Coleman had occasion to pro-  
 nounce a life sentence upon a notori-  
 ous offender. In the course of his re-  
 marks the judge spoke with so much  
 feeling and eloquence that many of  
 the listeners were deeply affected. The  
 prisoner, on the other hand, seemed to  
 be quite indifferent, looking at the cel-  
 ling and apparently giving no attention  
 whatever to what was being said.  
 After he had been remanded to jail  
 one of the young lawyers had gone  
 into the cell, curious to know how the  
 criminal had felt when his honor was  
 passing sentence upon him.

"What do you mean?" asked the con-  
 victed one.

"I mean when the judge was telling  
 you you must go to prison for life."  
 "You mean when he was talking to  
 me?"

"Yes."

"Oh, I never paid no attention to  
 Dick Coleman. He ain't no public  
 speaker nohow!"—Argonaut.

### The Fate of the Fancy Set.

James, aged seven, had been prom-  
 oted. In recognition of this great  
 event his father purchased for him the  
 following things that James insisted  
 were necessary:

A box of one dozen pencils, assorted  
 leads; one ink and one pencil eraser,  
 one pencil box with a marvelous roll  
 top, three copybooks for home work,  
 two penholders and a patent strap that  
 was a marvel of ingenuity, but some-  
 how or other didn't seem to hold the  
 books very firmly.

The father examined the outfit a few  
 days after and found that it con-  
 tained—

One much chewed lead pencil fur-  
 nished by the city, a scribbling pad  
 with a few sheets on it, a tin fountain  
 pen that did not work and never could  
 have worked and a skate strap to hold  
 the things together.

The father asked no questions. He  
 instinctively knew what had become  
 of the fancy implements of education.  
 —New York Press.

### Her Answer.

An Atchison girl had a proposal of  
 marriage and asked a week to think  
 it over. She went to all of her mar-  
 ried sisters. One, who used to be a  
 belle, had three children, did all her  
 own work and hadn't been to the  
 theater or out riding since she was  
 married. Another, whose husband was  
 a promising young man at the time  
 she was married, was supporting him.  
 A third didn't dare say her life was  
 her own when her husband was around,  
 and a fourth was divorced. After vis-  
 iting them and hearing their woes the  
 heroine of this little tale went home,  
 got pen, ink and paper and wrote an  
 answer to the young man. You may  
 think it was refusing him, but it  
 wasn't. She said she could be ready  
 in a month.—Atchison Globe.

### Faith, Hope and Charity.

A London weekly offered 2 guineas  
 for a definition of faith, hope and  
 charity. The winner is as follows:  
 Faith, blind trust in a first page; hope,  
 what investors are fed upon; chari-  
 ty, what some of them are likely to  
 be brought to.

That is certainly not bad, but this  
 one is perhaps even better: Faith,  
 the gift that saves mankind; hope, the  
 gift that cheers mankind; charity, the  
 gift that makes man kind.

### The Dear Friends.

"Fred didn't blow his brains out be-  
 cause you jilted him the other night,"  
 said girl friend No. 1. "He came over  
 and proposed to me."  
 "Did he?" replied girl friend No. 2.  
 "Then he must have got rid of them  
 in some other way."

### Hindsight.

"I made enough money in Wall  
 street last week to buy a house and  
 lot."

"Did you buy it?"  
 "Well, no; but I wish I had."—New  
 York Herald.

### Why She Did It.

"Why is it," they asked, "that you  
 let your husband have his own way  
 in everything?"  
 "Because," she replied, "I like to  
 have some one to blame when things  
 go wrong."

### Proof.

"I guess their honeymoon is about  
 over."  
 "What makes you think so?"  
 "He's gult coming home for his noon  
 lunch."—Detroit Free Press.

Zeal without knowledge is like expedi-  
 tion to a man in the dark.—Newton.

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